

Amendment to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1. (Currently Amended) An adhesion promoting primer comprising a solvent-containing two-component polyurethane binder comprising

(A) a curing component consisting of an addition product of (B) at least one organic polyisocyanate with an average NCO functionality of 2.5 to 5.0 and an isocyanate content of 8 to 27 wt.% and (C) an alkoxy silane of formula (I) with at least one isocyanate-reactive group,

Q-Z-SiX_aY_{3-a} (I),

wherein

Q represents an isocyanate-reactive group,
Z represents a linear or branched C₁-C₁₂ alkylene group,
X represents a hydrolyzable group,
Y represents identical or different C₁-C₄ alkyl groups and
a is an integer from 1 to 3, and

(D) a lacquer resin which can react with isocyanate groups

wherein the solvent is selected from ~~the group consisting of diacetone alcohol and mixtures of diacetone alcohol with butyl acetate [[,] and/or ethyl acetate, diacetoalcohol, and mixtures thereof.~~

Claim 2. (Original) The primer of claim 1 wherein the ratio of isocyanate-reactive groups in lacquer resin (D) to isocyanate groups in curing component (A) is between 0.5 : 1 and 2 : 1.

Claim 3. (Original) The primer of claim 1 wherein polyisocyanate (B) has an average NCO functionality of 2.3 to 4.5 and an isocyanate group content of 11.0 to 24.0 wt.% based on the weight of (B).

Claim 4. (Original) The primer of claim 1 wherein polyisocyanate (B) comprises a polyisocyanate or a polyisocyanate mixture with exclusively aliphatically and/or cycloaliphatically bonded isocyanate groups.

Claim 5. (Original) The primer of claim 1 wherein polyisocyanate (B) comprises a polyisocyanate or a polyisocyanate mixture having at least one biuret or isocyanurate structure based on HDI, IPDI and/or 4,4'-diisocyanato-dicyclohexylmethane.

Claim 6. (Original) The primer of claim 1 wherein NCO/Q molar ratio of polyisocyanate (B) and alkoxy silanes (C) is between 1 : 0.01 to 0.75.

Claim 7. (Original) The primer of claim 1 wherein in formula (I)

Q represents OH, SH or NHR₁,

R₁ represents a C₁-C₁₂ alkyl group or a C₆-C₂₀ aryl group or -Z-SiX_aY_{3-a},

Z represents a linear or branched C₁-C₄ alkyl group, and

X represents a C₁-C₄ alkoxy group.

Claim 8. (Original) A substrate coated with the primer of claim 1.

Claim 9. (Original) The substrate of claim 8 further comprising another coating as a top-layer.

Claim 10. (Original) The substrate of claim 8 wherein the substrate comprises a material selected from the group consisting of polymer, metal or glass substrates.

Claim 11. (Original) The substrate of claim 10 wherein the polymer substrate is selected from the group consisting of polycarbonate, polymethylmethacrylate, polystyrene, polyvinylcyclohexane, polyvinylchloride or blends thereof.

Claim 12. (Original) The substrate of claim 9 wherein the other coating is selected from the group consisting of inorganic coatings, organic coatings or inorganic/organic hybrid coatings.

Claim 13. (Original) The substrate of claim 12 wherein the inorganic coating comprises silicon.